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*** DX INFORMATION ****

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- Team 4X2DS will be active from the shores of the Dead Sea, the lowest land-based elevation on Earth (440 metres below sea level), from 30 May to 3 June. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or via 4Z5TT. A certificate will be available, see https://www.qrz.com/db/4X2DS for more information.
- 9M2 Members of the Kuala Lumpur DX Team will be active as 9M4IOTA from Kapas Island (AS-073), West Malaysia from 31 May to 2 June. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 80-10 metres. Updates will be posted to https://www.facebook.com/kldxteam/.
- DL The Berlin Airlift was an operation that carried supplies by plane to the Allied sectors of West Berlin over a Russian blockade. For more than a year, hundreds of American, British and French cargo planes ferried provisions to West Berlin's Tempelhof, Gatow and Tegel airfields. Commemorating the 75th anniversary of the end of the Berlin Airlift, three special event stations will be active between 12 May and 24 June: DLOGWW for Gatow, DLOTXL for Tegel, and DLOTHF for Tempelhof. QSL via LoTW, QRZ Logbook, and the DARC Community Logbook; paper cards will not be provided, but an award will be available: https://ham-awards.de/index.php/75luft/.
- Depending on weather and seas conditions, a three-man team (Henry EA5EOR, Ilde EA5HEU, and Christian EA3NT) will be active as EG5MI from Penyeta del Moro (EU-151) on 25 May. They will place a wooden platform on the rocks on 24 May at about 16 UTC, and return on 25 May at about 4 UTC, hoping to be QRV as soon as possible. "We don't discard to start same Friday 24th evening with a very lightweight setup (one car battery)", Christian says, "and run for a couple of hours to try to get advantage of the greyline and give a chance to the West Coast". Most likely they will be QRV on 20, 17, 40 and 6m CW, SSB and FT8. If he gets enough subscribers to his YouTube channel (http://www.youtube.com/@EA3NT), Christian will try and broadcast live the landing attempt. Penyeta del Moro is a rocky islet of almost 2 metres in width and 6 metres in length; an iron lighthouse of about 5m in height was placed there in 1861. QSL via EA5GL.
- F Members of the Association des radioamateurs de l'Indre will be active as TM36JO on 27 May, as the Paris 2024 Olympic Torch Relay passes through their Department, and again from 29 July to 11 August during the Olympic Games. QSL via the bureau, or direct to F50HM.
- GI Commemorating the 80th anniversary of the D-Day landings (6 June 1944), the Rushyhill Radio Society (MNOUGP) will be active as GB8DDY between 1 and 28 June. A certificate will be available, but QSL cards will not be provided see https://www.grz.com/db/GB8DDY for information.

- I Members of ARI Trapani (IQ9TP) will be active as II9IKF on 20-26 May for the 16th edition of the International Kite Festival at San Vito Lo Capo. QSL via the bureau, LoTW and eQSL.
- LA Michael, DF8AN will be active from Hinnoya Island (EU-033) on 16-17 May and again on 25-26 May, and from Vestvagoy Island (EU-076) on 17-25 May. He operates CW and digital modes on the HF bands, and hopefully on 6 and 2 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
- SP Celebrating the 65th anniversary of the SP DX Club, special callsigns SP65S, SO65P, SN65D, HF65X and 3Z65C will be active on 1-16 June. A certificate will be available, complete information can be found on https://logsp.pzk.org.pl/a/spdxc/index.php.
- SV Giovanni, IZ2DPX has been active as SV8/IZ2DPX from Serifos Island (EU-067) since 13 May, and will remain there until 23 May. He operates SSB and FT8 on 40-6 metres. QSL via LoTW.
- UA Commemorating the 119th anniversary since the birth of Mikhail A. Sholokhov (the 1965 Nobel Prize in Literature), special callsigns R119MS and UE39MS will be active on 20-24 May during the 39th edition of the Sholokhov Spring Festival. A certificate will be available on https://hamlog.online/club/mdxc. QSLs via RQ7L.

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ARRL SYSTEMS SERVICE DISRUPTION ---> "We are in the process of responding to a serious incident involving access to our network and headquarters-based systems", the ARRL notified on 16 May. "Several services, such as Logbook of The World (LoTW) and the ARRL Learning Center, are affected. Please know that restoring access is our highest priority, and we are expeditiously working with outside industry experts to address the issue. We appreciate your patience. This story will be updated with new developments" (see https://www.arrl.org/).

CY9C: ST PAUL ISLAND ---> The Canadian Department of Fisheries and Oceans has issued the written permit for the CY9C DXpedition to St Paul Island (26 August-5 September), and the ARRL has pre-approved the DXpedition for DXCC credit. The permit is for the small Northeast Island, as the main island is now under the jurisdiction of the Canadian Wildlife Service.

A 24-foot vehicle has been rented and reserved for early August to transport a lot of the gear to Dingwall (Nova Scotia), which will be the base for all pre-DXpedition activities. The team will use two helicopters and a boat to transport the operators and the equipment to the island.

Beginning on 26 May, a week long work session for CY9C will take place in North Carolina. Team members WOGJ, WOPR and WA4DAN will meet up and go through and inventory all of the DXpedition gear. The plan is to erect the new operating tents, test and run the seven new generators, assemble and

test antennas and inventory all of the coaxial cables.

"The team is very grateful to all the clubs and individuals who have joined our efforts. Additional support is encouraged and can be made through https://t-rexsoftware.com/cy9c".

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****** OSL ROUTES ******

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4X6M	4X6ZM	AO275BFM	EA2BFM	PC6MILL	PA2KOP
4X76DL	4X6DL	AO275RH	EA2RH	PF99MILL	PF9W
4X76IC	4X5IC	AO375KR	EA3KR	PJ2CF	EA5GL
4X76TT	N4GNR	AO375M	EA3M	PZ5JW	EA5GL
4x76VF	4X1VF	AO475SE	EA4SE	SN25PCH	SP2KFQ
4Z76NB	4Z1NB	A0575MP	EA5MP	SN73PUK	SP3LPT
5B4AMX	LZ3SM	A0575XC	EA5XC	SO34PP	SP3PDO
5W1SA	JA1DXA	AO675EE	EA6EE	SP191BD	SP3PDO
5Z4PA	MOURX	A0775TS	EA7TS	SP34PP	SP3PDO
9A100RKZ	9A1ADE	AO875ED	EA8ED	SP80HONKER	SP3PGR
9A70EZA	9A1EZA	A0875W	EA8W	SQ34PP	SP3PDO
9G1AA	PA3ERA	AU5J	VU2JOS	SV0XAF	HB9EBC
9J2BO	EA5GL	CX1RL	EA5KB	TM13J0	F5SDD
9X2AW	MOOXO	DL25EUT	DD7GU	TM1COX	F4ILN
A61KZ	EA7FTR	EG1SB0	EA1URL	TM24U	ON8AZ
A61Q	EA7FTR	EG5LTO	EA5ITJ	TM25FO	F5KMY
A91WTIS	EC6DX	EG8FMR	EA8URV	TM4JDD	F8KGS
AM175A	EC1A	EH7IR	EA7LH	TM83JO	F8KGH
AM175DD	EC1DD	FM4LV	KU9C	TR8CR	F6AJA
AM575AN	EC5AHA	GB0AEL	MIOHOZ	UN79P	RW6HS
AM575BUH	EC5BUH	H25A	LZ3SM	UO79P	RW6HS
AM575C	EC5C	HF73CLR	SP3ESU	UP79P	RW6HS
AM575EA	EC5EA	HF80LOK	SP9KAO	VU7LAL	VU30QK
AN375WH	EB3WH	II6RCAB	IK6XEJ	YL44WFF	YL2SW
AN575CS	EB5CS	J79PE	8P6PE	YP2GEO	YO2KAR
AN775DX	EB7DX	KP2B	EB7DX	Z30GOCE	Z37RSM
A0175AA	EA1AA	OE2024EM	OE4HLF	ZC4RH	DK6SP
A0175CK	EA1CK	OF60IRON	OH8DR	ZD8SC	WB4GHY
AO175EMO	EA1EMO	OL70CHOD	OK1RDO	ZL7STU	MOOXO
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